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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
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Please consider the following submission(s) required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:

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Total Claims	20	23	0	x \$50.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	7	7	0	x \$200.00	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims not previously presented, add \$360.00					
Total Amendment Fee					\$0.00
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Other fees: (specify)					
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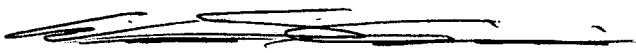
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